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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
DAISUKE YOSHIDA ET AL.) : Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Application No.: 08/953,719) : Group Art Unit: 2871
Filed: October 17, 1997) :
For: MATRIX SUBSTRATE, LIQUID) :
CRYSTAL DEVICE EMPLOYING) :
THE MATRIX SUBSTRATE,) :
AND DISPLAY APPARATUS) :
EMPLOYING THE LIQUID) :
CRYSTAL DEVICE) : April 29, 1998

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The non-English documents are cited in Applicants' specification; a concise explanation of their relevance may be found therein and in Applicants' corresponding European Patent Application. A photocopy of the European Search Report is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

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The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Applications:

<u>APPLICATION NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>GROUP ART UNIT</u>
08/714,439	09/16/96	2515
08/953,730	10/17/97	2515
08/655,603	05/30/96	2515


In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), no copy of any cited U.S. Application is enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 758-2400. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

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